

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 09/701,809	Applicant(s) HO ET AL.	
	Examiner Shefali D Patel	Art Unit 2621	

All Participants:
Status of Application: _____

 (1) Shefali D Patel.

(3) _____.

 (2) Mr. Jeffrey D. Sullivan, Esq. (Reg. No. 43,170).

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 1 March 2005
Time: 2:00 pm
Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

 Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

65, 101-103, 113-128

Prior art documents discussed:

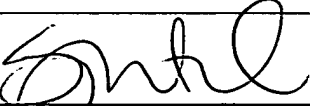
Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The examiner contacted Mr. Sullivan on January 24, 2005 to discuss claims 101-103, 117-121, 123, 126-128. The examiner reminded Mr. Sullivan that these claims need to be canceled in order to put the application in condition for allowance. The examiner had an error in previous Office Action mailed with objection to claims 113, 115, 122, 124-125 and put them under allowable subject matter. However, the examiner stated this to Mr. Sullivan and explained that claims 113, 115, 122, 124-125 disclose Markush groups claims (MPEP 2173.05(h)). Mr. Sullivan agreed that these claims were not allowable and proposed for an amendment incorporating the allowable limitation from an allowed claim 65. Finally, an agreement was reached on March 1, 2005. See examiner's amendment and allowance for details.